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## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, GREGORY E. THOMPSON, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 3830 Rustic Place, St. Paul, MN 55126, and MATTHEW J. VIA, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 595 Hamel Road, Medina, MN 55340, are the inventors of that certain invention disclosed and claimed in an application for United States Letters Patent executed by GREGORY E. THOMPSON on April 9, 2002, and executed by MATTHEW J. VIA on April 9, 2002, and entitled "AUTOMATIC GATE CONTROL SYSTEM FOR FREEWAY INTERCHANGES"; and

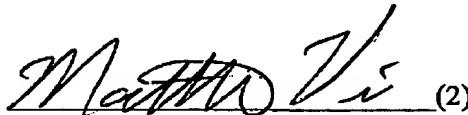
WHEREAS, THOMTECH DESIGN, INC., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Minnesota and having its principal office located at 651 East Cliff Road, Burnsville, MN 55337 is desirous of acquiring the said invention and any and all patents of any and all countries which may be granted on said invention.

NOW, THEREFORE, Be It Known that for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to us in hand paid by said THOMTECH DESIGN, INC. and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of all of which is hereby acknowledged, we, GREGORY E. THOMPSON and MATTHEW J. VIA, have sold, assigned and transferred, and do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said THOMTECH DESIGN, INC. the entire right, title, and interest, both legal and equitable, in and to the said above identified invention for all countries, in and to the same above identified application for patent, and in and to any and all patents of any and all countries which may be granted on said invention; and the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is hereby authorized and requested to issue, in accordance with this Assignment, any and all patents which may be granted on the above identified application or on the invention therein disclosed.

Signed at this \_\_\_\_\_ day of 4/9/02, 2002.



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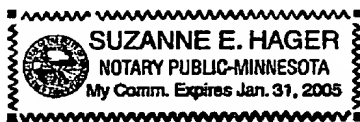
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On this 9<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2002, before me, a Notary Public for and within the County aforesaid, personally appeared GREGORY E. THOMPSON and MATTHEW J. VIA to me known to be the persons described in the foregoing Assignment, and they acknowledged to me that they executed the same as their free act and deed.

(Seal)



Suzanne E. Hager  
Notary Public